

Introduced by Senator HancockFebruary 20, 2014

An act to amend Section 13012.5 of the Penal Code, relating to criminal statistics.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1198, as introduced, Hancock. Criminal statistics: countywide statistics.

Existing law requires the Department of Justice to present a report to the Governor annually containing the statewide criminal statistics of the preceding year.

This bill would require the department to also include in that report countywide criminal statistics for that period.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 13012.5 of the Penal Code is amended
2 to read:
3 13012.5. (a) The annual report published by the department
4 under Section 13010 shall, in regard to the contents required by
5 subdivision (d) of Section 13012, include the following statewide
6 *and county-level* information:
7 (1) The annual number of fitness hearings held in the juvenile
8 courts under Section 707 of the Welfare and Institutions Code,
9 and the outcomes of those hearings including orders to remand to
10 adult criminal court, cross-referenced with information about the

1 age, gender, ethnicity, and offense of the minors whose cases are
2 the subject of those fitness hearings.

3 (2) The annual number of minors whose cases are filed directly
4 in adult criminal court under Sections 602.5 and 707 of the Welfare
5 and Institutions Code, cross-referenced with information about the
6 age, gender, ethnicity, and offense of the minors whose cases are
7 filed directly to the adult criminal court.

8 (3) The outcomes of cases involving minors who are prosecuted
9 in adult criminal courts, regardless of how adult court jurisdiction
10 was initiated, including whether the minor was acquitted or
11 convicted, or whether the case was dismissed and returned to
12 juvenile court, including sentencing outcomes, cross-referenced
13 with the age, gender, ethnicity, and offense of the minors subject
14 to these court actions.

15 (b) The department's annual report published under Section
16 13010 shall include the information described in subdivision (d)
17 of Section 13012, as further delineated by this section, beginning
18 with the report due on July 1, 2003, for the preceding calendar
19 year.